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Sir:

Attached is a completed Form PTO/SB/08(A). This supplemental IDS is to inform the PTO of circumstances known by applicant of a relevant prior art that may affect the novelty or unobviousness of applicant's Amendment A, received by the USPTO on Nov. 30, 2009.

The reference of Cragun, patent number 6,324,553, was disclosed in a prior Notice of References Cited, dated 7/14/2004.

The applicant's claims show new and unexpected results over Cragun because his invention is an **inoperative reference**. Cragun's patent expired on 12/28/2009 due to non payment of maintenance fees.

Very respectfully,

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